

CLAIMS

1. An indoor unit (2) of an air conditioner (1), comprising:
 - a casing (60) provided with an opening (27) at the front thereof;
 - a movable panel (72) provided so as to cover the opening (27) and configured to
5 open the opening (27) by moving away from the opening (27) and to close the
opening (27) by moving close to the opening (27);
 - a drive portion (41) configured to generate a driving force to move the movable
panel (72); and
 - an opening and closing member (68) including: a driving force transmission portion
10 (680) for transmitting the driving force of the drive portion (41) to the movable
panel (72); and a plate member (681) provided outside the driving force
transmission portion (680) and configured to cover a gap between the movable
panel (72) and the casing (60) in a state in which the movable panel (72) is open.
2. The indoor unit (2) of the air conditioner (1) according to claim 1, wherein
15 the opening and closing member (68) supports the movable panel (72) and moves
the movable panel (72) away from the opening (27) by protruding forward from the
casing (60).
3. The indoor unit (2) of the air conditioner (1) according to claim 1 or 2, wherein
20 the plate member (681) also serves as a supporting member that supports the
movable panel (72) and moves the movable panel (72) away from the opening (27)
by protruding forward from the casing (60).
4. The indoor unit (2) of the air conditioner (1) according to any one of claims 1 to 3,
wherein
25 the driving force transmission portion (680) and the plate member (681) are
integrally provided.
5. The indoor unit (2) of the air conditioner (1) according to any one of claims 1 to 4,
wherein
30 the driving force transmission portion (680) and the plate member (681) are
integrally molded.
6. The indoor unit (2) of the air conditioner (1) according to any one of claims 1 to 5,
wherein
 the opening and closing member (68) is provided adjacent to each inner surface of
both sides of the casing (60).